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BRITISH COLUMBIA SAVINGS BANK.

STATEMENT of the position of the British Columbia Savings Banks, at 31st December, 1871, published pursuant to the provisions of the "Savings Banks Ordinance, 1869,"

GENERAL BALANCE.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Due by the Bank to Depositors, viz:—		Cash in hand at Head Office and Branches	$ 2,703 92
At Head Office	$103,350 98	Do in Bank of British Columbia	5,817 71
" Nanaimo Branch	11 740 56	Amount invested with the Government of British Columbia	125,000 00
" New Westminster Branch	12,606 13		
" Yale Branch	650 80		
" Cariboo Branch	4,052 87		
	132,401 34		
Balance at Credit of Profit and Loss	1,120 29		
	$133,521 63		$133,52 63

Victoria, British Columbia, February 23, 1872.

F. J. ROSCOE, A. J. LANGLEY, } Commissioners of Savings Banks.

I Certify that I have examined the accounts of the British Columbia Savings Banks for the year ended 31st December, 1871, and have found the above abstract to be correct.

ROBERT KER,
Audit Office, February 23rd, 1872. Auditor General.

I hereby certify that the sum of One Hundred and Twenty-five Thousand Dollars ($125,000) is the balance standing to the credit of the Commissioners of the British Columbia Savings Banks, in the Books of the Government of British Columbia, at 31st December, 1871.

Treasury, British Columbia,
February 23rd, 1872. JOHN GRAHAM, In Charge.
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CORNER OF DOUGLAS AND PANDORA STREET
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GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA,
1st August, 1871. fe14

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Notices.

"Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall, in accordance with the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance 1870," and at the expiration of Three Months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of Crown Grants

To WILLIAM PARSONS SAYWARD of East ½ of Sections 1 and 2, and West ½ of Sections 3 and 4, Range VI, Chemainus District.

To JAMES DOUGLAS WARREN, of Section 7, Range VII, Chemainus District

And to EDWARD DAVIS HEATLEY and GEORGE CAMPBELL, of Lot 264, Group 1 (one) in the District of New Westminster.

Unless objection be made to me in writing in the meantime against the issue thereof respectively.

H. B. W. AIKMAN, Registrar General.
Land Registry Office, Dec 3, 1871. de27

"Crown Grants Ordinance, 1871"

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall, in accordance with the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870," and at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, recommend issue of Crown Grants

To WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, of Sections 49, 50, 3 and 64 Lake District.

To HENRY ALEXANDER, of Section 1 East, 14 South, District of South Saanich.

To WILLIAM HERBERT EVANS, of Sections 24 and 25 Lake District.

To JOHN PIERCE, of Sections V North, Range 11 East, and V North, Range III East, District of North Saanich.

To HAMILTON ANSTRUTHER, of Sections XXXII, XXXIV, and CI, of Esquimalt District.

To WILLIAM BEAT and CHARLES HENRY BEAT, of Sections VII and VIII North, Range East, District of North Saanich

To ROBERT WEIR, Section XXXI Metchosin District, and Section XIII Sooke District

To JOSEPH WESTROP CAREY, Section XII, Lake District.

And to JOHN ASH, of Section XLVI and XIII, Comox District, excepting out of the last mentioned Section, a piece of land at the South-western end thereof (adjoining the land of Charles Green), measuring 5 chains north by 25 chains east.

Unless objection be made to me, in writing, in the meantime against the issue thereof, respectively.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Land Registry Office, Registrar General.
16th December, 1871. d-17



$250 REWARD!

WHEREAS THE STORE OF MESSRS Burns & Edwards, Victoria, was burglariously entered by some person or persons on the night of the 7th or morning of the 8th instant, and sundry articles of clothing were stolen therefrom. A reward of $250 will be given for such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of the thief or thieves.

A. F. PEMBERTON, S. M.
Victoria, B C, 9th Feb., 1872. fe10

ROAD TAX LISTS, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, TO ALL whom it may concern, that copies of the Road Tax Assessment Rolls, for the year 1872, are left at the following places in the several districts:—

North Saanich District, at H Wain's
South Saanich District, at L Eckstein's
Lake District, at the Royal Oak Hotel
Sooke District, at M Muir's
Metchosin District, at the Schoolhouse, Metchosin
Esquimalt District, at the Four-mile-house
Esquimalt Town, at J T Howard's
Victoria West at P Everett's "Horse and Jockey"
Victoria District, Cedar Hill Road, Oakland Estate, and Spring Ridge at the Lion Brewery Tap
Point Ellis, at the Rock Bay House
Saanich Road, Topaze Avenue, and Section III., Finlayson Estate, at P Walsh's Bridge Tavern
Fort street and Cadboro Bay Road, at the house of Thos Woods, Fort street
Mount Tolmie Cross Road, at the Richmond Hotel
Fairfield Estate and Foul Bay Road, at Clover Point Hotel
James' Bay and Beckley Farm, at F Barkam's James' Bay
Burnside Road, at M Rowland's
And also at the office of the undersigned.

W G TOLFREN,
Collector under the Road Ordinance.
Victoria, 18th Feb, 1872. fe18

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF THE High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the Estate of William Montague Cochrane, formerly an Ensign, and late a Lieutenant of Her Majesty's 20th Regiment of Foot, deceased," and in a cause "Joyce against Ward," the Creditors and all persons having any claims or demands upon, or affecting the Estate of the said William Montague Cochrane, who some years since resided or carried on business as one of the Firm of Goodwill, Cochrane and Goodwill at or near the Town of Nottingham, and subsequently went to America, and died at sea, on board the steamship "City of Boston," in or about the month of January, 1870, are on or before the 22nd day of March, 1872, to send by post prepaid to Messrs. Ward, Mills and Witham, of No. 1, Gray's Inn Square, in the County of Middlesex, the Solicitors of the Defendant, the Executor of the Deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their debts, claims or demands, a statement of their Accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every Creditor or other person holding any security, is to produce the same before the Vice Chancellor, Sir John Wickens, at his Chambers situate at 12, Old Square, Lincoln's Inn, in the County of Middlesex, on Monday, the 15th day of April, 1872, at One o'clock in the afternoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the debts, claims, or demands.

Dated this 22nd day of December, 1871.

ALFRED HALL,
Chief Clerk.
E. W & R. C. MOTE,
14, Warwick Court, Gray's Inn, London,
mh6 d&w Plaint ff's Solicitors.

NOTICE.

ROAD TAX LISTS, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a list of all persons within the Districts of Cowichan and Salt Spring Island, who are liable to pay Road Tax for the year, 1872, has been posted at the following places:—

Court House, Cowichan,
Harris' Landing,
Maple Bay Landing,
Mr. Drinkwater's, Somenos,
Mr. Fry's, Chemainus,
SALT SPRING ISLAND
School House, Central Settlement,
Mr. Mitchell's, Burgoyne Bay

Copies of which are deposited in the office of Mr. Morley, near Maple Bay, and can be inspected at all reasonable hours.

Collector under the Road Ordinance.
Maple Bay, Feb 21st, 1872. fe25d&w

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a tract of Land, containing 640 acres, situated on the right bank of the Columbia River, at the "Big Eddy," last end of the Eagle Pass, is reserved until further notice. The Storehouses of the Canadian Pacific Railway Survey are in the centre of said Reserve.

GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Office,
Victoria, 27th February, 1872. mh3

Card of Thanks to Dr Chong.

AFTER BEING TREATED FIVE MONTHS by a white doctor, and spending nearly $300, I was worse than when I first went to him. I had quite despaired of being relieved when I read Dr Chong's card in THE COLONIST. I placed myself under his care and in NINE DAYS I was a well man. I write this card to discharge a debt of gratitude I owe to Dr Chong, which charge, I may also say, was reasonable. My complaint was neuralgia. WILLIAM McCORMICK.
Victoria, Aug 26th, 1871. fe17

Dentistry.

C. FRANCIS BARNARD, MD.
SURGEON DENTIST.



DR. BARNARD HAS HAD FOR several months the "Perkins Hyatt" or "Celluloid Base," the newest and latest material adapted to the mounting of whole sets of teeth; he is also using "Whalebone-Rubber," which is rapidly supplanting, for single dentures or partial sets, the best vulcanites of the last 25 years.

We cheerfully add Dr. B's Card to our columns, convinced that his good taste and judgment, united to natural skill and ingenuity, aided by an extensive practice of upwards of thirty years, render his services more valuable and reliable than those of any other Dentist on the Sound, Coast or Island.

Dr. B's large experience may be readily seen in the happy and natural expression given his patrons by his life-like insertion of artificial Teeth.

The public may rest assured of patience, gentleness and undivided attention while under the Dr's hands, and that he will ever strive to be foremost in adopting helps and hints touching his own interest and that of his patrons.

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE—Douglas Street, between Dr. Powell's premises and Willson's Tea Store. Business hours from 8 a m till 5 p m.

Victoria, Nov 4, 1871. de5 d&w1s

Mills Bowden,



DENTIST,



May be found over H F Holstermann's, Langley street from 9.30 a m to 4 p m. Back entrance on Government street. de.7

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14 doz Boys' and Men's Hats,
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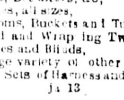
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A tract of Land, containing 650 acres, situated on the right bank of the Columbia River, about five miles South of the Blackberry River, is reserved until further notice. The Storehouses of the Canadian Pacific Railway Survey are the centre of the said Reserve.

GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Office,
Victoria, 27th February, 1872. mh3

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The "GRESHAM"
HALF CABINET
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THE FINE SLOOP ALARM, 15 tons Burthen and well-found and appointed, is now doing a profitable business, is offered for sale low May be seen at the Hudson Bay Company's Wharf.

For particulars apply to
R. H. HARVEN,
mh8 1m Wharf Street,

Miscellaneous.



CANADIAN
PACIFIC RAILWAY.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECeived at the office of George Watt, Esq., Commissariat Officer and Paymaster of the Canadian Pacific Railway Victoria, British Columbia, up to noon of 15th of March, 1872, for the following Supplies, all of which must be of the very best quality, of the different kinds specified. Samples of the various articles to be sent to the above office.

One lot of supplies to be delivered on or before the 10th day of May next at La Porte on the Columbia River and marked T

C. P. R.; the other lot to be delivered on or before the 20th day of March next at the Boat Landing on the Columbia River, which is about 95 miles above Wild Horse Creek, and to which place Supplies were packed for the Railway last year without any difficulty. This lot to be marked

C. P. R.

A separate tender to be put in for each lot stating the price of each article in detail at the point where it is to be delivered. Tenders to be marked respectively No 1 T. and No. 2 S.

C. P. R. C. P. R. All tenders to be addressed to George Watt, Esq, Commissariat Officer and Paymaster C P Railway, Victoria, B C., and endorsed Tenders for Supplies Howe Pass district.

All supplies to be properly packed up in bales, gunny sacks, cases, &c, &c, as the case may be.

List of Supplies to be delivered at La Porte and Marked T.

	C.P.R.
Bacon	1,500 pounds
Mess Pork	1,000 "
Corned Beef	2 500 "
Beef Cattle averaging 400 lbs each	4,000 "
Flour	10,000 "
Beans	700 "
Dried Apples	1,800 "
Coffee (Green)	150 "
Coffee (Ground)	150 "
Tea, Black	200 "
Sugar, No 1 Sl	1,600 "
Farina	600 "
Rice, No 1	200 "
Salt, coarse, Liverpool	300 "
Salt, table, 5lb and 10lb bags	100 "
Mustard	25 "
Pepper	20 "
Soap, yellow	200 "
Currants	250 "
Syrup	50 gallons
Castile Soap	2 bars
Raisins	5 boxes
Candles	6 boxes
Lime Juice	10 gallons
Pickles	10 gallons
Yeast Powders	20 dozen
Gunny Sacks	1 bale

Bonds signed by two good and sufficient surties for the sum of $5000 will have to accompany each tender for the above lot to ensure the safe delivery of the goods as specified.

List of Supplies to be delivered at the Boat Landing and marked S.

	C.P.R.
Bacon	2,000 pounds
Mess Pork	2,000 "
Beef Cattle, say 500 lbs, 15 head	7 500 "
Flour	25,000 "
Beans	3 000 "
Dried Apples	3,000 "
Coffee, green	200 "
Coffee, ground	200 "
Tea, black	250 "
Sugar, S I No 1	2 000 "
Farina	1,000 "
Rice No 1	400 "
Salt, coarse, Liverpool	500 "
Salt, 5lb and 10lb bags	300 "
Mustard	60 "
Pepper	60 "
Soap, yellow	400 "
Currants	500 "
Tobacco, assorted	400 "
Soap, Castile	6 boxes
Syrup	100 gallons
Raisins	10 boxes
Yeast Powders (tins)	100 dozen
Candles	12 boxes
Pickles	10 gallons
Lime Juice	15 gallons
Socks, strong knitted wool	20 dozen
Undershirts	6 "
Overshirts	6 "
Overalls	6 "
Pea Jackets	4 "
Drawers	8 "
Gloves, ½ buckskin ½ wool	6 "
Hats	4 "

Bonds signed by two good and sufficient Sureties for the sum of $10,000 will have to accompany each tender for the above lot, to ensure the safe delivery of the goods as specified.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Parties wishing further information can have it by applying to the undersigned.

WALTER MOBERLY,
Engineer, Howse Pass District,
Canadian Pacific Railway.
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HENRY SHORT,
Gun and Rifle Maker,
GOVERNMENT ST, ONE DOOR FM PANDORA.

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CUTLERY—Sporting and Pocket
POCKET COMPASSES in Mahogany Cases
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THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Thursday Morning, March 14, 1872

The East Coast Interests.

The Resolution of the Member for Nanaimo, to reduce to one-half of what they are at present the rates charged for freight and passage on the steamer carrying the mails on the East Coast of this Island, whether that steamer may be owned or subsidized by the Government, is one bearing largely and directly upon the interests of the communities and settlements immediately concerned. Cowichan, Salt Spring, Chemainus, Nanaimo and Comox rely solely upon water communication with Victoria; and they are likely to continue to do so for some time to come, —in all probability until railway communication shall have been established. It will at once be seen, therefore, that the prosperity of the entire range of settlements along the East Coast, including the town of Nanaimo, must, to a very great extent, depend upon the facilities offered by whatever steamer may be employed in performing the mail service; for it will be some time before a second steamer will find renumerative employment in the coast trade unaided by a Government subsidy. The importance of cheapening and facilitiog communication between Victoria and these settlements must be sufficiently obvious. It is of the very first importance that agricultural settlement and developements should be promoted. That is the one fundamental, permanent interest that shall endure when other interests have passed away. But it is especially necessary under present circumstances that cheap and easy means for placing the products of those settlements in this the principal market should be provided, and thus prevent the wealth of the country being drained into foreign channels in payment of supplies which ought to come from our own fertile acres. Those who have opposed the adoption of the Canadian Tariff have done so almost solely upon the ground that it would take away to a great extent that protection against the foreign producer which our farmers have enjoyed under the British Columbia Tariff. And although there is much less in this argument than has been claimed for it, yet it must be admitted that there is something in it. Had there been any reasonable ground to hope that British Columbia would have been permitted to have what is commmonly te ned a modified tariff, it is extremely questionable whether the Resolution for the adop ion of the Canadian tariff would have been carried. It was a knowledge of the fact that the choice lay between the retention of the present tariff and the adoption of the Canadian one that prompted the Legislature to accept the latter; and in doing this we think it acted intelligently and well. In what way can the farmers along the east coast of this Island be better compensated for the loss of some little protection enjoyed under the tariff now about to be cast aside th n by a material reduction of the expense of reaching the market? To reduce one-half the rates charged upon the st amer will be to more than make up for any doubtful advantage enjoyed under the so-called protective tariff. It is also proper to remark that the proposed reduction in the rates will not necessarily reduce the receipts of the steamer. About a year ago the rate s were reduced nearly one-half; and we have good authority for stating that the receipts of the steam r are already larger than they formerly were. And so will it be with the proposed reduction. A temporary falling off the e doubtless will be. But, unde the reduced rates the trade will rapidly expand; and there need be no hesitation in affiming that in less than two years from the date of the further reduction, the receipts would fully recover the average, with a rapid upward tendency. And surely it is worth the effort to secure such result s,—the greatly increased prosperity of the settlements and a market well supplied from our own soil. The Resolution was *unanimously* adopted by the House and it only remains for the matter to be properly placed before the Federal Government in order to have its recommendation complied with; for it cannot be doubted that, where the Dominion Government can be shown that without any sacrifice of revenue a large and important section of country can be materially benefitted, an effort will be made to secure these advantages.

A RAILWAY ACCIDENT NEAR NICE.—The Nice correspondent of the Swiss Times says:—The omnibus train for Grasse left Nice at 5 50 punctually and proceeded safely to within about one kilometre of Antibes, when on coming near the bridge over the Brague, the engine driver perceived through the mist that lamps had been lighted as danger signals. But it was too late, the train was in full speed, and there was no possibility of stopping it before the bridge was reached though the fireman and engine driver remained at their posts, and used every means in their power. The bridge over the Brague measures 105 ft. in length, having a span of three arches and piers on either side. The swelling of the torrent by six days incessant rain had flooded the ground near the bridge, so when the tide rose to high-water mark the bridge was submerged. At the turn of the tide the current was so great that the central arches and the pier on the Nice side of the river were carried away—in fact, the whole of the bridge except the pier near Antibes. Towards this dreadful chasm the ill-fated Nice train came dashing along at a fearful rate, the engine, tender, a luggage car, and two of the carriages leaping down the precipice into the roaring torrent with an awful momentum left the rest of the train upon the bank, one of carriages held by the coupling chain hanging over the abyss. Of the carriages which fell over, only one was seen floating out to sea with an unhappy woman therein, calling for succour which could not reach her, the rest were crushed to atoms or covered by the waters at the bottom of the ravine. The engine has never since been seen. Twelve persons perished upon the spot, among whom are the engine driver and the fireman; the body of the former is still to be seen floating in the Brague, pierced through the chest by an iron bar. The conductor escaped miraculously by jumping from the luggage car as it fell into the chasm; also Mdme. Cinti and M. Laussel were extricated safely from the suspended carriage.'

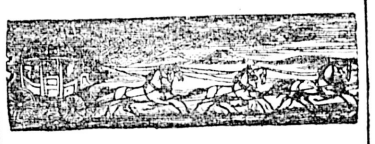
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THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Thursday Morning, March 14, 1872.

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

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March 12—Sip Ocean Queen, Dake, San Juan

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March 12—Sch Industry, Smith, Nanaimo
Str Enterprise, Swanson. New Westminster

NEWS! NEWS!

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First Provincial Legislative Assembly.

FIRST SESSION.

WEDNESDAY, March 13th, 1872.

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:15 o'clock. Present:—Hons. McCreight, Robertson, Walkem, Holbrook, and Messrs Semlin, Duck, Armstrong, Todd, Beaven, W. Smithe. Mara, R. Smith, C. Booth, J. P. Booth, Hughes, Cogan, Hunter, Bunster, Jamieson, Robson, Humphreys, Ash, Robinson.

REPORT.

Hon Mr *McCreight* from the Select Committee appointed to consider the petition of J R Stewart, asking to be confirmed in the possession of certain lands at Quatseemo, recommended that the Standing Order requiring a notification to be published in the Gazette and one newspaper, be suspended.

Q. C. COAL CO.

A message from His Excellency the Governor was read, enclosing correspondence with the representatives of the Q. C. Coal Co. with respect to the payment of a bounty of £500 to any Company shipping 200 tons of anthracite coal. His Excellency asked an expression of the House upon said claims. The message was taken into consideration.

The correspondence was read. A dispatch from Governor Musgrave in which he says the matter was irregular and as having lapsed by the efflux of time of time or revoked by the changes in the form of Government of the Colony, appeared. Other dispatches and letters were read, one of which from the liquidators claimed that the Company had complied with the requirements of the Proclamation offering the bounty.

Mr Robertson moved to refer the matter to a Select Committee to take evidence and report. Carried, and the following-named gentlemen were appointed:—Messrs Hunter, Walkem, Semlin, C Booth, Hughes.

Mr Semlin asked the hon Attorney-*General* if this claim was not a Dominion matter—the Dominion having taken this Colony with all its liabilities.

Hon Mr McCreight reported that the first thing to be determined was the existence of the debt; the next would be to determine who was liable to pay it.

QUATSEEMO.

Mr Robson moved the first reading of the Bill to confirm J R Stewart in the possession of land at Quatseemo. Carried.

N. W. GAOL RETURNS.

Hon Mr Robertson laid before the House returns in connection with the New Westminster Gaol. Report received.

Hon Mr Robertson briefly showed that the *Government* had done its entire duty in providing the establishment with a competent medical attendant

ROAD ACT.

Mr W Smithe moved for a bill to include the Mainland of the Province in the provisions of the Road Act.

The hon mover claimed that the Island was compelled to pay the Road Tax and as an act of justice the Mainland should pay it also.

Mr J P Booth seconded but said he did not entirely approve of the resolution, although he did not see why the Road Tax should be on the Estimates at all, as the law provides that the tax must be expended within the District where it is collected.

Mr R Smith and Mr Humphreys said the law wouldn't work on the Mainland, where the people had to make their own trails.

Mr Hughes asked if the passage of the resolution would interfere with the Municipal Act now being framed.

Hon Mr. McCreight said that the Road Tax in many of the Districts had been spent in anticipation of collection, and that was the way that the items appeared on the Estimates. He did not see why the Road Tax Act should not apply to the Mainland as well to the Island.

Mr Robson said the Act did apply to the Mainland as well as the Island. All that was required was the machinery to be set in motion,

Mr. Smithe said that Cowichan had never asked to have the Road Act put in for e there.

Mr. Booth replied that Salt Spring Island did so ask.

Mr Robson did not want to see the law forced upon any district. The principle of the Act was voluntary, and if the House sought to arbitarily enforce it they would do so in direct contravention of the Act. If the road tax went into the general revenue the resolution would be proper. At present it was improper.

Mr. Duck said that by the Act the Mainland was included already. (near)

Mr. W. Smithe thought the hon. member for Nanaimo acted as if he represented a Mainland instead of an Island District. He asked if the hon. members would exclude the inhabitants of the Mainland from any hardship that the Islanders had to bear.

The vote was a tie.

Mr. Bunster having entered after the question had been put and while the ayes and nays were being recorded and having recorded his vote, Mr Robson asked if that were a proper proceeding according to May?

The Speaker decided that the member had a right to vote.

Mr. Mara appealed from the decision of the Chair and the Chair was sustained

The Speaker voted in favor of the resolution.

Mr. Mara—There is no further use for May.

PRIVILEGE.

Mr Humphreys called attention to the report of yesterday's proceedings in the BRITISH COLONIST to which the Hon Attorney General was reported to have said that he (Mr Humphreys) had said the people had been plundered in the expenditure of Government House. He (Mr Humphreys) did not hear the Hon Attorney General so quote him.

Mr. McCreight—I did understand the hon member for Lillooet to say that the people had been plundered in the expenditure of Government House and I did so quote him. My quotation was uncontradicted at the time. (hear, hear)

Mr. Humphreys—I made no such statement. I said there was a widespread belief among the people that they had been plundered in the matter of the expenditure of Government House, but I did not endorse the statement. The remark of the Hon Attorney General is not borne out by facts.

WAGON TIRES.

Mr. Bunster asked leave to introduce a bill to prohibit all wagons, drays or carts from being allowed to haul wood or other loads, over one ton, on the roads in Victoria and Esquimalt districts, except the said wagon tires are five inches in width; farmers to be exempt.

He said that the roads round Victoria had been the favorite drive of strangers coming from the other side; but that of late the roads had been so cut up, that all strangers were getting disgusted with them. It was necessary to protect the roads.

Leave was granted, and the bill was read the first time, and Monday appointed for second reading.

LANDS.

Mr. Mara moved the following resolution: That a select committee be appointed to enquire into what lands, mineral and agricultural have been prempted and sold in this Province since 1870; the committee to consist of Messrs, Walkem, C. Booth, Robson, Semlin and Mara.

Mr. Beaven seconded.

Mr. Walkem offered an amendment, that the words "for the purpose of examining into," be added.

Mr. McCreight seconded, and it was carried.

VANCOUVER ISLAND REAL ESTATE TAXES.

Mr. Beaven moved the following resolution: That an humble address be presented to His Excellency the Lt.-Governor, requesting that a return will be sent down to this House of all correspondence connected with the Vancouver Island Real estate Taxes, from the 1st of January, 1871, down to the present time, between the Government and parties claiming a return or refund of taxes or pointing out errors in the Tax List, or applying to have the taxes removed from the list on the ground of payment.

Mr. Robson seconded, and the motion was carried.

ROYAL HOSPITAL.

Mr. Robson moved that an humble address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, praying that he will cause to be laid before this House a report of the Royal Hospital, Victoria, showing the number of patients and the diseases for which they have been treated, the number received and discharged during the past year; a statement of receipts and expenditure during the same period, together with any recommendations for increasing the comfort and efficiency of said institution.

Mr. Robson said it was necessary that the House be made cognizant with what was here asked for, as the place was said to be in a wretched state.

Mr. Beaven seconded, saying he thought it was very desirable that the House should be enlightened on the subject

Mr. Armstrong moved as an amendment, "that New Westminster hospital be included."

Mr. Holbrook seconded, and the resolution as amended was carried, Mr. Bunster alone opposing.

OMINECA TRAILS.

Mr. Robson moved the following resolution: That an humble address be presented to His Excellency the Lt.-Governor, praying that he will cause to be laid before this house the Gold Commissioner's report on the Omineca country; such report, amongst other things, to embrace an estimate of the population, the yield of the mines, together with any suggestions as to the best means of facilitating communication with the same, and the probable amount requisite for trails, leading to that country, for the ensuing season.

The object, he said, was two-fold. He thought it was necessary the House should have the information required before certain business in connection with the Omineca district was done. He also thought that it would be a good thing to have the opinion of such an experienced man as Mr. O'Reilly, with respect to Omineca, to prevent too great a rush, or on the contrary to prevent those who were prejudiced against it from prejudicing others against going there.

Mr. C. Booth seconded. He also had a two-fold object, He wished to ascertain the position of things in Omineca, and the prospects of the same. Carried.

COURT OF APPEAL.

Mr. C. Booth asked the Hon. the Attorney General the following question: If it is his intention to introduce a bill this session for the creation of a Court of Appeal in this Province?

Mr. McCreight imformed the honorable member that a bill was being prepared for the appointment of a third Judge to the Supreme Court.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.

The report of the Committee on the Mining Bill was received and read a third time and passed.

The House again went into Committee, Mr Robinson in the chair, on the Customs Bill.

Dr Ash withdrew his amendment for the postponement of the third reading till April 1st.

The Committee rose and reported progress; and to-morrow was appointed for considering the report.

Mr Duck moved the second reading of the Lien Law Bill.

Mr Robson seconded.

It was read a second time and it was resolved that it be committed on Monday next.

The Report on the indemnity of members was adopted.

The House then went into Committee on the School Bill, Mr Robinson in the chair. The Bill was taken up at clause 7, and a great deal of discussion ensued on it, the clause as to whether the trustees of a School district as proposed in an amendment by the hon member for Cowichan, or the School Board should appoint the teachers.

During the discussion Mr Smithe said he wished the Chairman would always make it a point of deciding which member had the floor when two rose at once, and not allow the one who had the most cheek to stand the other one out.

It was carried that the clauses pass as read. — Messrs J P Booth and W Smithe alone opposing.

The report was adopted and the House adjourned till 7.30 p m.

EVENING SESSION.

The House assembled at 7.45 o'clock, and resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to resume consideration of the

SCHOOL BILL,

Mr. Robinson in the Chair.

Sec 9, "Duties of Superintendent," was read and passed.

There was considerable opposition to the compulsory clause respecting the services of Trustees, Dr Ash and Mr. W. Smithe opposing it vigorously, but it was finally passed by a vote of 12 to 6.

Mr. Robson said that by the Bill the right of voting for Trustees was confined to males, while female householders might be so situated as to be qualified to vote for Trustees Although not an advocate of Woman's Rights in the broad sense, he still hoped the right of voting would be extended to the ladies in this Bill. (hear and laughter)

Mr. J. P. Booth and Dr. Ash declared themselves in accord with the sentiment expressed by the hon member for Nanaimo

Before section 34 a clause (on motion of the Hon. Colonial Secretary) was inserted disqualifying any person as teacher who did not hold a first, second and third class certificate from the Board of Education.

The clause "All Judges, Clergymen and Members of the Legislature shall be School Visitors."

Mr. Bunster moved to strike out the word "Clergymen" and substitute "Parents."

Hon. Mr. McCreight—Indians and Chinamen.

Mr. Bunster—We are dealing with another class of Christmen—Clergymen. The term clergymen don't include catholics (laughter.) If the country wished to make the schools successful, the clergy must be kept out altogether.

Mr. Robson moved to strike the clause out. The great difficulty was to get any person to visit the school. Let us not name a few privileged classes. He wanted to let every man and woman in the Districts visit the schools.

Mr. J. P. Booth supported Mr. Robson's view.

Hon. Mr. Robertson said that if the clause were struck out, no one would have a right to visit, and the teacher could set the public at defiance.

In that case Mr. Robson said he would change the clause so as to allow anyone to visit.

The Chairman was of opinion that if a change were made, it should be more comprehensive.

Mr. Robson withdrew his amendment and substituted the words and others interested in education. He strongly deprecated exclusiveness.

Mr Humphreys moved that all persons be allowed to visit the schools upon upon obtaining an order from one of the Trustees.

Hon Mr Walkem supported the original clause.

Dr Ash amended, "all persons authorized by letter from a Trustee.

Mr Hughes pointed out the difficulty of obtaining orders from School Trustees in a scattered District.

Hon Mr McCreight moved to add the words "and such other classes of persons as the Board of Education might from time to time direct."

Mr Robson said that as a member of this House he would not delegate his right to any six gentlemen forming the Board of Education to select privileged classes to visit the schools. [Hear, hear]

Mr Armstrong sharply deprecated the attempt made to confine the visits to privileged clases. From personal experience at New Westminster he would say that the difficulty would be to get enough visitors. [Hear.]

Mr Beaven spoke in favor of the amendment of the hon member for Nanaimo.

Mr Humphreys here withdrew his motion and said he should support the amendment of the hon member for Nanaimo, which was then carried. [Cheers]

Mr. Robson, amidst much laughter, asked the leader of the Government what course he intended to adopt in the face of the crushing defeat just sustained.

Mr. Beaven suggested a vote of want of confidence. (Renewed laughter).

The remainder of the bill was passed.

Dr. Ash moved that clause No. 4, which restricted the appointment of a Superintendent to the holder of a first-class certificate, and a teacher of five years' standing, be rescinded.

Several members spoke for and against the motion.

Mr. C. Booth made a powerful and effective address in favor of the clause as it had passed the committee, and the motion was lost.

The committee here rose and reported the bill complete.

PRIVILEGE.

Mr. Bunster complained of a misreport in an obscure local print, and—

The committee here rose and reported progress.

NOTICES OF MOTION.

Mr. Semlin—For a return of the amounts of per centage on the estates of deceased persons; that it be printed and sent down for the information of this House.

Mr. Bunster—To allow Mr. C. Smith to introduce gas of a superior quality into Victoria, at $4 per 1,000 cubic feet. The company to be called the British Columbia Gas Company.

Mr. Smithe—To ask how much it would cost to make a road from Goldstream to Swyard's mill, Cowichan, by way of Saanich Arm.

Mr. McCreight—To ask leave on Friday next to introduce an Act for the appointment of a third Supreme Court judge.

The House then adjourned till Thursday, at two, p. m.

FOR THE RIVER.—The steamer Enterprise sailed at 9 yesterday morning for New Westminster. Among her passengers were Revs. Pollard, Derrick, and Bryant, Mr. Earles, Mr. Harry Newland, Mr. Shortwell, and about 30 others. The freight was large.

C. P. R. R. SURVEY.—Tenders for the supply of Mr. Moberly's party with goods will be received until noon to-morrow by Geo. Watt, Esq., at his office, Omineca Hall.

Municipal Council.

The Council met at 7:30 last evening. Present—His Worship the Mayor, and Councillors Gerow, McMillan, Mitchell, Taylor, Gowen.

The minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted.

The Clerk read bills from James Wilcox for three cistern coverings, $33 17; Thos Craigie, $9, for labor on the streets; Geo. Stelly, for hauling gravel, $62 75; Messrs Hibben & Co., $22 63; Thos Hall for hay for the Pound, $9 86; Mr Geo Fox, for coal oil, &c., $9 25. All referred to the Finance Committee for payment.

The Poundkeeper's report for the month of February was read, received and placed on file, and an order drawn for his salary.

A communication was read from Dr. J. B. Matthews enclosing the certificate of Captain Scholl with his own attached certifying that there was no sickness on board the Prince Alfred steamer, and asking whether the Council wished him to board all vessels coming in or only the California steamer. The communication was received and filed.

A communication was read from certain residents on North Fort street, between Quadra and Blanchard, requesting that a sidewalk be laid along their property.

The communication was received, and the Clerk ordered to notify the property owners, under the bye-law.

A communication from Mr. W. Tierney, giving his report for the collection of taxes during November and December, and a claim for $60 for the same.

Mr. McMillan moved that it be received and referred to the finance committee.

Not being seconded, Councillor Mitchell moved as an amendment that it be received and laid on the table.

Councillor McMillan seconded. Carried.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

From Councillor Mitchell—That he would move that a three feet sidewalk be laid along Vancouver street, between McClure and Collinson streets. He stated that this had been sent in last Wednesday, when no meeting was held. He therefore made a motion that property owners be notified to lay the sidewalk.

Councillor Gowen seconded, and it was carried.

The Mayor then appointed Councillors Mitchell, Gowen, and Robinson as a committee to define the duties of tax collector.

Councillor Mitchell said that the sidewalk laid in front of Mr. Winger's butcher shop was not the proper thickness prescribed by law; it was only one inch, and not one and a half inch thick.

Coun. Gowen explained how it happened that it was through a mistake and he only discovered it when it was nearly finished and he thought it best for the convenience of the public to say nothing.

Coun. Mitchell moved that the bye-law be carried out to the letter.

Coun. McMillan seconded. Carried.

Coun. Gowen said the covering of the cistern on the corner of Government and Johnson streets was in a very dangerous condition.

Coun. Mitchell moved that tenders be called for the re-covering it. Carried.

The Mayor said something ought to be done in the way of scraping the mud off the streets.

Coun. Taylor moved that tenders be called to scrape Government street, from north Johnson street to south Fort steeet, and carting it away, as an experiment as to cost.

Coun. Mitchell—seconded, and it was carried.

Coun Gowen moved and Coun Taylor seconded that the salaries of the Town Clerk and Messenger be paid. Carried

The Council then went into discussion on Mr Tierney's communication.

Coun. Mitchell wished to know what work Mr Tierney had done.

The Clerk said he had taken the trouble of hunting up the names of those who had not paid and notified them to that effect.

After some discussion Coun Gowen moved that the communication be referred to the Finance Committee to report thereon at next meeting.

The Council then adjourned.

COURT OF REVISION.—The adjourned sitting of the third Court was held on Tuesday morning. Several objections were heard in which the assessment was just double what had been before offered. In one case in particular improvements which had been put on the land some 10 or 11 years ago, and which were shown to have cost some $13,000 were after so long a period of deterioration assessed in the sum of $22,500. Mr. Jackson of Drake & Jackson took exception to this on the ground that it was exorbitant inasmuch as he land and not the improvements were supposed to have improved. The latter must certainly must have deteriorated in so long a period. Another ground on which he objected was, that the notice ought to be served seven days before the third sitting and it had only been served on the day the third sitting was held. It was finally decided to have Mr. Jackson's objections referred to the Hon. Attorney General, to decide whether they held good or not.

THE LIEN BILL.—Mr. Duck's bill was read a second time yesterday, and will next be heard of in Committee of the Whole House. A measure of the kind is wanted—is urgently demanded and we think that before the Committee rises a good, sound measure will be adopted. There is one clause of the bill however, which is open to objection. Under it the very hat may be taken from a debtor's head, or a coat or a pair of pants from his back by a tailor who may have sewed on a band or a button; and we are assured that worse outrages might be perpetrated under the same clause. In this clause, we think, the principle of a Lien Law is strained, although, in the main, the bill is good.

"LICENSES ORDINANCE, 1867."—A return showing the amounts collected for 1871 under this ordinance, has been made by the Colonial Secretary; Victoria paid $18,196; New Westminster, $1966; Kootenay, $870; Cariboo, $10,254; Omineca (to Oct.) $2480; Yale, $5049; Lillooet, $1475; Nanaimo, $1005;—total, $41,206. Of this large amount $19,800 were paid for liquor licenses, $27,430; trades licenses, $8980; bankers, $1000; Auctioneers, $1031 87; opium, $1350; billiard tables, $260; dance houses, (!) $200; barristers and solicitors, $300; drovers $150, land agents, $225.

CANADA THISTLE.—The California Legislature have passed an Act to prevent the propagation of the Canada Thistle by subjecting to a penalty any person who allows the plant to go to seed on his ground. The state of Illonois has recently legislated for the extirpation of the Canada thistle, and the discussion in the Legislature of that State showed that there were thousands of acres given over to the pest. Nothing else will grow where the weed has possession.

"CHICKENS COMING HOME TO ROOST."—The Government of Nicaragua is about to present a bill to the United States Government for "consequential damages" sustained through the invasion of that country by the Fillibuster Walker. The same ground is taken as that assumed by the Americans in presenting their little Alabama bill for payment to England.

POLICE COURT.—Geo. Hall, Jas. Kelley, Chas. Wright and W. H. Bell, remanded from yesterday, were allowed out on their own recognizances to appear in three days. The other prisoners were again remanded for three days.

THE silver medal presented to Dr. Helmcken as one of the Delegates of Confederation, may be seen in Mr. Jungerman's window, Government street.

THE CALIFORNIA. — A private dispatch states that the sailing of the steamer California from Portland is delayed till Saturday next.

THE TARIFF.—A Committee of the Whole of the House passed the Tariff Bill yesterday and the report of the Committee will be considered to-day, when the date of the third reading will be fixed. Some favor the third reading on the 1st of April: but we are inclined to think that the "happy mean" will be struck by appointing the final reading for the 21st inst.

DIOCESAN CHURCH SOCIETY. — The Lieut. Governor will take the Chair this evening at 7:30 o'clock on the occasion of the Annual Meeting of the Diocesan Church Society at the Collegiate Schoolroom. The object of the Society deserves support and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

LADIES IN THE HOUSE.—A number of ladies graced the Assembly Chamber by their presence last evening.

THE ESTIMATES will be considered to-day by the Legislative Assembly.

THE steamer Emma sailed yesterday for Nanaimo.

The Legal Professions.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST.—I have been a silent, though not uninterested, observer of the progress and defeat of the Legal Professions Bill lately before the Legislative Assembly. Having never been consulted respecting it by any of the gentlemen who first amended it under the plea of free trade in law and then rejected it on the ground that their amendment had rendered it dangerous, I now offer a few observations on the subject to those who choose to read them,

It is evident that outside the pale of the professions the difference between attorneys and barristers is not understood. The popular belief is that while any ignoramus can be admitted an attorney, only a very profound knowledge of law will enable a man to become a barrister. I do not know how this may be in the colonies; but in England it is far from being the truth. The candidate for admission as an attorney is compelled to serve five years of unremitting and undivided apprenticeship in a practitioner's office and to pass several stringent examinations in law and general knowledge and produce certificates of character; but unless the regulations have been very recently altered any man may become a barrister upon producing a certificate that he is a proper person to be admitted a student of one of the Inns of Court, entering his name accordingly as a student, eating a fixed number of dinners at the public hall, and attending a few lectures. He need not set his foot in a law office, see any practice whatever, or read a line of law. This at least partly accounts for the fact that attorneys usually get into good practice soon after admission, while barristers seldom obtain much business for the first ten or fifteen years.

What, then, is the object of the distinction between the two professions? and why do barristers attain greater eminence than attorneys? It is a matter, first of social rank, and next, of the division of labor. Unless a man is a gentleman by birth and education and has some regular income to support him, it would usually be hopeless for him to go to the Bar; but if he possesses these the degree of barrister-at-law opens to him the highest legal appointments in the Empire besides many political offices. While the attorney is busy all the day long seeing and advising clients, writing letters, drawing up documents of all kinds, issuing legal process, hunting up evidence, etc., the barrister quietly fixes upon one special branch of law,—equity, common law, criminal law, etc., devotes all his time to reading books on that branch, and only gives advice on a case or goes into court to conduct it when all the details have been systematically arranged and laid before him in the shape of a 'case' or a 'brief' by the Attorney. Thus in the course of years, if he has good abilities and obtains support from the Attorneys he becomes an authority on the branch he has devoted himself to. But if he should attempt to practice in the various branches of law and *a fortiori* if he should further distract himself with attorneys' work, he would sink not only to their level but below it; for his apprenticeship has been less practical than theirs, and in attempting to learn too many things he would learn nothing thoroughly. The attorney, though shut off from promotion, has many compensating advantages. He is protected against the invasion of his business by barristers or other persons, appointments such as Clerk to Magistrates, Registrar of County Court, Town Clerk, etc., are reserved exclusively for him, and the standard of his profession is kept up and raised by the regulations I have already mentioned and the prompt punishment of malpractices. The result is that the attorneys can always reply upon a respectable income as the reward of dilligence and probity, and are trusted to an almost unlimited extent with the property and affairs of their clients.

Contrast this with the state of things existing in British Columbia. It is impossible here to keep up the division I have described. Our barristers not only practice in every branch of law, but do all the attorneys work they can get short of putting their names as *attorneys* on documents; and in addition to this each of them has now a political appointment with a liberal salary and the prospect of a judgeship. I rejoice at their good fortune, but ask for justice. There are attorneys here as well educated, as learned in the law, and as high principled as the barristers. One half their business has been taken away from them. The protection they received in England is refused them here. For the little business they may yet obtain they are compelled to accept the same fees as there, though the taxation and cost of living is here at least twice as high. With the solitary exception of the present Registrar of Titles, they are not considered eligible for the smallest office, legal or otherwise. And this is of a community were democratic principles are the fashion and artificial rank is supposed to be almost extinct! The result must be to disgust the present practitioners and gradually supply their places by others of the disreputable character so pathetically described by a Cariboo legislator, unless the Judges use their powers to secure justice to the attorneys and to prevent their degradation.

EDWIN JOHNSON.

Victoria, 11th March, 1872

By Electric Telegraph

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

Utah.

CORINNE, March 12—Railroad reported all right and in good shape between Ogden Creek and Ogden. Trains from the east on time and from west 12 and 14 hours behind

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 12—Flags of the Italian Benevolent Society and various other in the city and harbor were flying to-day in respect to the memory of Mazzini.

West Indies.

PORT AU PRINCE, March 12—President Sago is becoming very unpopular. Five men who recently attempted to burn the capital has been sentenced to death.

Europe.

MADRID, March 12—The official Gazette publishes a decree authorizing the laying of a direct telegraph cable between Spain and England.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 12—It is announced that the Bey of Tunis will visit the Sultan during the month April.

ROME, March 12—It is rumored that Prince Frederick Charles of Prussia, while in the city recently, asserted his claims to the candidature of the throne of Spain.

LONDON, March 12—Lady Mordaunt is pronounced by high medical authority to be partially insane and the petition of Sir Charles, her husband, for a divorce has been dismissed.

PARIS, March 12—The Prince and Princess of Wales, with Prince and Princess de Joinville, Duc de Aumale, Count and Countess of Paris and Duke de Nemours, received a visit from Thiers. They depart to-morrow.

Delegates from Metz who have been in attendance on the Commission on military capitulation, in a letter to the Republic of France announce that the commission had concluded taking testimony in regard to the surrender of Metz, and that the evidence is strongly against Bazaine. The Assembly to-day engaged in a discussion on minutes of previous day's sitting. Deputy Victor Scandelicyer declared that a portion of the orders of the day was adopted yesterday under circumstances which rendered it null and void. Brisson accused Avitel, President pro tem, of gross irregularity and charged that the minutes had been falsified. A scene of great violence ensued and the President being unable to bring the members to order was obliged to suspend the session for half an hour. After recess the Assembly by a large majority passed a resolution censuring Deputy Brisson for his ungentlemanly conduct and intemperate language

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Suez Canal today President Lesseps made a report in which he states that the directors of the company have no intention of selling the canal to any government, and that the traffic over the canal is largely increasing. The receipts during the months of January and February of the present year were 21,000,000 (?) francs.

PUERTO PLATTA, March 12—Baez, on the 6th, retook the towns of Savalta and Oynanbia and executed seventeen of the residents.

BERLIN, March 12—The Federal Council has sent a secret agent to Piedmont to watch the movements of the Italian revolutionists.

Oregon.

PORTLAND, March 13.—The steamship California will leave to-morrow. This is in accordance with the wishes of our flour shippers, as they expect that more orders will be received by telegraph from the Sound and Victoria, owing to the prices being down.

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Eastern States.

MANCHESTER, March 12.—The returns received so far show a Republican success of about 1500.

ST. PATRICK'S BALL.—Mrs Lange will give a St. Patrick's Ball on the evening of Monday the 18th, of which fact her numerous friends and patrons will please make a note. *

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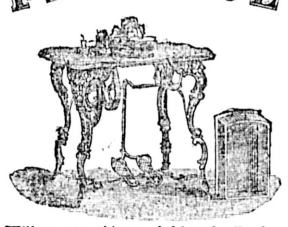
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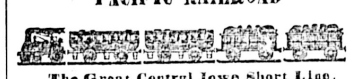
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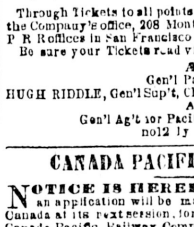
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CANADA PACIFIC RAILWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session, for an Act to Incorporate the Canada Pacific Railway Company, for the purpose of constructing and working a railway from Lake Nipissing, or some other point in the Province of Ontario, connecting with the railway system of Canada, to Fort Garry or Winnipeg in the Province of Manitoba, thence westerly through such pass of the Rocky Mountains in Canadian territory as may be found practicable to Fort Inlet or some other point on the seaboard of the Pacific Ocean, in the Province of British Columbia [with power to extend to Victoria, or some other point on Vancouver Island, if found advisable]; together with branch lines from near Winnipeg river to the Lake of the Woods, and from Fort Garry or Winnipeg aforesaid to Pembina, or such other point or place on the boundary of the Province of Manitoba as may connect with the railway system of the United States.
ALFRED WADDINGTON.
Ottawa, Dec 2, 1871. de21d&w

Notice is Hereby Given
THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE be made at the next session of the Parliament of Canada for an Act to Incorporate "The Western Canadian Pacific Railway Company," for the purpose of constructing and working a Railway commencing at a point at or near Victoria, British Columbia, thence to some point on the Eastern Coast of Vancouver Island and from thence, by bridge or steam communication, to some point or points on the Western Coast of the Mainland of British Columbia between the 49th and 54th parallels of North latitude, thence through the Mainland of British Columbia to some practicable pass in the Rocky Mountains to the North West Territories, and to some point in the said North West Territories, where a junction will be effected with a line of railway starting from the Railway System in the North Eastern part of Ontario and running towards the Rocky Mountains, with power to make such deviations and branch lines to connect with the Seaboard of Vancouver Island or elsewhere as may be advisable; and for the purposes aforesaid to establish, equip and maintain such Ferries and Steam Vessels as may be necessary.
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Notices

PUBLIC NOTICE,
ESQUIMALT GRAVING DOCK.

THE GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA invite tenders to be sent in to the Land and Works Office, Victoria, up to noon of the 20th March, 1872, for the construction of a Graving Dock, at Esquimalt, British Columbia, under the guarantee provided in twelfth section of the Terms of Union of this Province with the Dominion of Canada, which section is in the following words:
The Dominion Government shall guarantee the interest for ten years from the date of the completion of the work at the rate of five per cent per annum on such sum not exceeding £100,000 sterling, as may be required for the construction of a first class Graving Dock at Esquimalt.
The dock is to be of a clear length of not less than 450 feet, a clear breadth of 90 feet at top and 50 feet at bottom, and affording a depth of water at ordinary high tide of not less than 24 feet on the sill, and to be substantially built upon a site to be selected and provided by the party or parties tendering, subject to the approval of the Government. Parties tendering are required to specify the time within which they propose to complete the Dock.
Tenders are to be sealed, superscribed "Tenders for Esquimalt Graving Dock," and addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, British Columbia, and accompanied by plans and drawings showing the exact dimensions of the Dock proposed to be built, the mode of construction and materials to be used therein.
Parties desirous of tendering, but who may decline to do so under the guarantee above named as insufficient, are invited to tender on the basis of such supplemental guarantee by the Provincial Government, or other financial inducement as they may suggest
HENRY HOLBROOK,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Office, Nov 20th, 1871. no21d&w

NOTICE
I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT after this date I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by any person without my written order.
CHARLES GREEN.
Comox, March 6, 1872. mh9 1wd&w

W. P. Wakeman, Deceased.
ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO, OR having claims against the estate of the late Mr William Plowden Wakeman, of Esquimalt, are to pay the amount of such debts or deliver particulars of such claim respectively to S. J. Spark, Esq., of H. M. Naval Yard, Esquimalt, Executor of the deceased.
EDWIN JOHNSON,
Solicitor to the Executor.
Masonic Hall, Victoria, March 12, 1872. mh12&w

Licences Ordinance 1867

It is hereby notified for general information that Licenses under the above Ordinance for the current half-year ending June 30th, 1872, are due and payable at the Office of the Stipendiary Magistrate, Bastion Street Victoria.
No further intimation will be given to those liable to pay Licenses under the above act,
By Order, H B GOOD,
fe1 Clerk to Stipendiary Magistrate

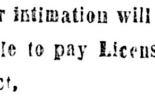
NOTICE.
FOR THE BETTER INFORMATION of the Public generally, Notice is hereby given, that all of the Crown Lands lying to the South and West of James Bay have heretofore been and continue still to be reserved by the Government of British Columbia, and that the said Lands are therefore not open to pre-emption by any person.
GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works
Lands & Works Office,
Victoria, B C, 9 h Feb, 1872. fe11

APPOINTMENT.
Colonial Secretary's Office, 7th Feb, 1872.
HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENant Governor has been pleased to appoint WILLIAM FRASER TOLMIE, Esq. to be a Member of the Municipal Court of Revision, under Section 4, Subdivision 18 of the "Victoria Municipal Amendment Ordinance, 1867."
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Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall, in accordance with the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870" and at the expiration of Three Months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of a Crown Grant to
Joseph Webb, of Suburban Lot No 7, Newcastle Town, said to contain 3.50 acres
Unless objection be made to me in writing in the meantime against the issue thereof.
H B W AIKMAN,
Registrar General.
Land Registry, Feb 2nd, 1872. fe4 3m

NOTICE.
LAYING OVER CLAIMS.
ON AND AFTER 1st NOVEMBER, 1871 all Mining Claims in Cariboo District are hereby Laid Over 7 until 20th May, 1872
H M BALL,
de17 A.G.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA



COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
4th March, 1872

THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR DIrects that the following Telegram which he has just received, be published in the desire to prevent Her Majesty's loyal subjects in this Province from suffering any anxiety through exaggerated or incorrect reports of the event to which it refers, and in full assurance that it will afford a fresh occasion for the renewed expression of the attachment of the people of British Columbia to the person of our beloved Sovereign.
A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
Colonial Secretary.
Ottawa, Ontario, March 1st, 1872.
Received at Victoria, March 4th, at 4 p.m.
To Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia:
I have received the following telegram from Lord Kimberley, of which you can make such use as you may think proper.
LISGAR.
"Yesterday a youth presented a pistol at the Queen, when about to leave her carriage at Buckingham Palace, on returning from her drive. He was immediately seized. The pistol was found not to be loaded. Her Majesty behaved with the greatest courage and composure, and is in good health and spirits. This is sent to prevent alarm from exaggerated reports.
mh5 1wd&w (Signed) KIMBERLEY."

RE S, DOWN, DECEASED.
PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Estate of Samuel Down, late of Victoria, B. C., who died in October last, are to send in such claims to me, and persons indebted to the same Estate are requested to pay such debts to me immediately.
EDWIN JOHNSON,
Solicitor to the Executor.
Masonic Hall, Victoria, Feb 26, 1872. fe27 1md&w

In Liquidation.
AT A MEETING OF THE BRITISH Columbia Whaling Company, Limited, held on the 26th Dec, 1871, it was resolved to wind up the Company by voluntary liquidation, and Robert Wallace and James Hutcheson were appointed liquidators.
In accordance with the above resolution, the undersigned request all parties having claims against the said Company to hand in the same to their office on or before the 10th day of February next.
They also offer for sale by private contract the entire plant and stock at the Company, including the schooner Kate, as she now lies at Dickson, Campbell & Co's wharf, well found in sails, anchors, &c, &c.
A schedule of the plant can be seen at the office of the liquidators.
Should the property not be disposed of by private sale before the 20th day of February, the whole will be sold by public auction on Tuesday the 19th day of March.
WALLACE & HUTCHESON,
Liquidators.
Victoria, B C, Jan 25th, 1872 mh1

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